

# ADVENT & CHRISTMAS 2021

## December

### 2 Thursday

#### **The Light of Advent**

6:30 p.m.

Virtual event with the Rev. Judy Fentress-Williams, PhD.

Visit [www.christcd.org/advent](http://www.christcd.org/advent) for details

### 4 Saturday

#### **Altar Guild Brass Polishing**

9:30 a.m. - 1 p.m.

All are welcome to join the Altar Guild as they prepare the church for Christmas.

#### **Detroit Aria Competition**

7 p.m.

Christ Church & Opera MODO present the Detroit Aria Competition. Listen to incredible performances & vote for your favorite artist!

### 5 Sunday

#### **J2A Greens Market**

9:30 & 11:45 a.m.

Wreaths, swags & garland, fresh from Eastern Market! All proceeds go to support our J2A class.

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#### **Capital Campaign Info Sessions**

9:30 & 11:45 a.m.

Learn about the upcoming campaign, including next steps and how YOU can be involved!

### 12 Sunday

#### **J2A Christmas Pop Up Shop & Greens Market**

9:30 & 11:45 a.m.

Beautiful gifts made by our J2A class, plus delicious baked goods. Pick up your wreaths and garland too!

### 15 Wednesday

#### **Advent Lessons & Carols**

5 p.m. Open Sanctuary

6:00 p.m. Lessons & Carols

7ish Festive Reception

### 19 Sunday

#### **Hanging of the Greens**

11:45 a.m.

Prepare the church for Christmas Eve! Simple chili lunch to follow.

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Our beloved Christmas Eve traditions return to the sanctuary this year! Join us for in-person worship as we gather to celebrate.

### 24 Friday

5 p.m.

A family-focused Eucharist, featuring our children and youth pageant, "Room for Christmas".

9 p.m.

Music Director Dr. Edward Maki-Schramm will lead the choirs in a special musical prelude to our classic late service. The church will be aglow with candlelight for our 9:30 Festival Eucharist - a beautiful and moving service you won't want to miss.

**Can't be with us in person?**

**A special online service will be available at 7 p.m.**

## Sharing with Others

### ADVENT DIAPER DRIVE

**Throughout December**

It's the 8th Annual Christ Church Diaper Drive to benefit Crossroads, and this year's goal is to collect **24,000 diapers** during the season of Advent!